April 19, 2023

Mr. Reece McAlister
Executive Secretary
Georgia Public Service Commission
244 Washington Street, SW
Atlanta, GA 30334-9052

Re: Approval of Amendment No. 2 to the Wireless Interconnection/Compensation Agreement between Pineland Telephone Cooperative, Inc. and Verizon Wireless

Dear Mr. McAlister,
Attached for filing and approval by the Georgia Public Service Commission is Amendment No. 2 to the Wireless Interconnection/Compensation Agreement between Pineland Telephone Cooperative, Inc. and Verizon Wireless for the State of Georgia.

Contact information for Pineland Telephone Company is as follows:

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Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

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AMENDMENT NO. 2
TO THE WIRELESS INTERCONNECTION/COMPENSATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN
PINELAND TELEPHONE COPPERATIVE , INC. AND VERIZON WIRELESS

This is the second amendment ("Amendment No. 2") to the Wireless Interconnection/Compensation Agreement between Pineland Telephone Cooperative, Inc ("Pineland") and the Verizon Wireless entities listed on the signature page of this Amendment No. 2, individually and collectively d/b/a Verizon Wireless ("VZW"). Pineland and VZW may be referred to individually as a "Party" and jointly as the "Parties."

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Parties, or their predecessors in interest, previously entered into a Wireless Interconnection/Compensation Agreement, pursuant to 47 U.S.C. §§251/252, effective January 1, 2005, amended July 1, 2012 ("Original Agreement");

WHEREAS, the Original Agreement contains a provision that authorizes the Parties to amend the Original Agreement based on mutual written agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual provisions contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereby agree as follows:

AMENDMENT TERMS

1. Method of Interconnection. Each Party agrees to exchange Non-Access Telecommunications Traffic indirectly with the other Party via the indirect interconnection method set forth in this Amendment No. 2. The Parties shall exchange Non-Access Telecommunications Traffic indirectly by transiting such Non-Access Telecommunications Traffic through the third-party tandem as identified in the LERG and to which both Parties are connected.

2. Notwithstanding the foregoing, each Party may agree to deliver Non-Access Telecommunications Traffic to the other Party through an alternative service provider to which both Parties are connected.

3. For the Non-Access Telecommunications Traffic being exchanged indirectly, each Party acknowledges that it is the originating Party's responsibility to enter into the appropriate transiting arrangements with the provider of the third-party tandem to which both Parties' networks are directly interconnected. Compensation to the third party for transiting is covered below in Section 4.

4. For Non-Access Telecommunications Traffic being exchanged indirectly, each Party acknowledges that:

   a. Except for Non-Access Telecommunications Traffic that falls under the Rural Transport Rule, it is the originating Party's responsibility to enter into the appropriate transiting arrangements with the third-party tandem provider and to bear all charges payable to such provider for such transit services with respect to such Non-Access Telecommunications Traffic and the cost of all facilities necessary to deliver such Non-Access Telecommunications Traffic to the third-party tandem; and

   b. It is the terminating Party's responsibility to bear the cost of all facilities necessary to receive such Non-Access Telecommunications Traffic from the third-party tandem except as required in the Rural Transport Rule.

5. The POI is the location where one Party's operational and financial responsibility begins, and the other Party's operational and financial responsibility ends for Non-Access Telecommunications Traffic. Each Party will be financially responsible for all facilities and Non-Access Telecommunications Traffic located on its side of the POI.

6. If the third-party tandem or alternate service provider assesses charges to Pineland for transiting Non-Access Telecommunications Traffic from the Pineland's boundary to the VZW POI and the FCC's Rural Transport Rule (47 CFR § 51.709(c)) remains in effect and applicable to Pineland, Pineland will invoice such charges to VZW for reimbursement.

7. Updated Contacts

Pineland Telephone Cooperative, Inc. For Official Notices: Dustin Durden CEO Pineland Telephone Cooperative Inc. 30 S. Roundtree St. P.O. Box 678 Metter, GA. 30439-0678 912-685-2121.	Verizon Wireless For Official Notices: Attn: Network Interconnection Verizon Wireless 5055 North Point Parkway Alpharetta, GA 30022 Email: VZWNETInterconnectContractsNotices@VerizonWireless.com With a copy to: ATTN: Verizon Legal Wholesale 1300 I Street, NW 5th Floor

For Billing: Pineland Telephone Cooperative, Inc. Attn: Accounts Payable 30 S. Roundtree St. P.O. Box 678 Metter, GA. 30439-0678 912-685-2121.	Washington, DC 20005 Email: VZLegalWholesale@verizon.com For Billing: **Wt.invoices@verizon.com**

8. This Amendment No. 2 shall be effective March 15, 2023.

9. This Amendment No. 2 shall remain effective as long as the Original Agreement remains effective between the Parties, subject to future changes in law.

10. The provisions of this Amendment No. 2, including the provisions of this sentence, may not be amended, modified or supplemented without the written consent thereto by both Parties' authorized representatives.

11. Except as expressly set forth herein, the terms and conditions of the Original Agreement shall remain in full force and effect without change.

signature page follows

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the Parties, intending to be legally bound, have executed this Amendment No. 2 as of the dates set forth below, in multiple counterparts, each of which is deemed an original, but all of which shall constitute one and the same instrument.

Pineland Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	Alltel Corporation d/b/a Verizon Wireless Athens Cellular, Inc. d/b/a Verizon Wireless Bell Atlantic Mobile Systems LLC d/b/a Verizon Wireless Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless Rural Cellular Corporation d/b/a Verizon Wireless Verizon Wireless of the East LP d/b/a Verizon Wireless By: Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner
By: Dustin Durden Dustin Durden (Apr 17, 2023 22:50 EDT)	By: Sam Giannini Sam Giannini (Mar 27, 2023 13:13 CDT)
Name: Dustin Durden	Name: Sam Giannini
Title: CEO	Title: Dir – Network Infrastructure Planning
Date: Apr 17, 2023	Date: Mar 27, 2023

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